

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

Erich Becker

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

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Sir:

This Reply is being timely filed in response to the Office Action dated August 3, 2007. Please amend the application without prejudice as noted in detail below.